

THE Washington HERALD is giving proof day by day of the fact that the MORNING newspaper is the most DEPENDABLE news source and the most USEFUL advertising medium for both merchant and shop-per.

THE WASHINGTON HERALD

Go to Church
You Will Find the Announcements of the Services of Washington's Leading Churches on Page 6 Today.

NO. 3676.

WEATHER—FAIR; COLDER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1916.

ONE CENT

WILSON ADOPTS DRASTIC POLICY TOWARD MEXICO

American Envoys Urge Free
Rein for U. S. Troops
Across Border.

SEE CARRANZA WEAKNESS

Peace Commission Told First Chief
Faces Withdrawal of Recon-
gnition Here.

(By the International News Service.)
Atlantic City, N. J., Nov. 10.—President Wilson's decision to deal more drastic-ly with the Carranza forces around Chihuahua, by the action of the American delegates to the Mexican-American Peace Commission. The commission held its first meeting after the election recess and the Americans immediately took the offensive.

In polite but firm language the American envoys declared that Carranza was not fulfilling his promise to "destroy or isolate" Villa.

The Mexicans were confronted with State and army reports indicating that Villa was becoming stronger daily; that the first chief's "drive" against him had collapsed, and that the United States was again menaced by Villista bandits.

When the Mexicans attempted explanations, the Americans presented still more positive evidence of the demoralization of the Carranza forces around Chihuahua.

Should Let U. S. Army Act.

Anticipating the renewed demand of the Mexicans that the American troops in Mexico must be removed, the Americans pointed out that such a move would be absolutely folly; it would be much wiser to permit the American army free scope in Chihuahua that it might crush Villa and restore law and order in that region.

This demand, the Americans would retire. The suggestion of greater American military activity in Chihuahua is said to have aroused the suspicions of the Carranza forces. They asked if the United States did not already intend a complete invasion of Chihuahua, and for that purpose had recently reinforced Pershing's border forces with more militia.

The answer of the Americans was particularly noncommittal.

In Southern Mexico, the American envoys also said, Carranza was menaced by Diaz and the Legals.

In confronting the Mexican envoys with proof of Carranza's weakness, the Americans had this purpose: Carranza must accept the co-operation of the United States in establishing a stable and strong government or the United States will withdraw recognition and seek to solve the Mexican problem another way.

CHIHUAHUA CITY FALLS INTO HANDS OF VILLA

Trainload of Carranza Soldiers Arrives in Juarez.

(By the International News Service.)
San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 10.—Dispatches from Gen. Carranza's headquarters at El Paso indicate that Chihuahua City has fallen into the hands of Francisco Villa's forces and has been voluntarily evacuated by Gen. Jacinto Trevino.

The arrival of a trainload of soldiers at Juarez from the south indicated that Trevino's army was coming out, whether in defeat or of their own volition was not known.

The fact that French, British, German and Swiss residents of Chihuahua City left the town twenty-four hours ago and that Trevino sent his archives, his family and his immediate friends to El Paso a considerable time ago would lend credence to the report that the Carranza garrison had abandoned the City of Chihuahua.

TEUTON CASUALTIES 3,755,639.

London, Nov. 10.—An official British compilation issued today of German casualty lists since the outbreak of the war gives a total of 3,755,639 officers and men with 910,254 killed. Naval and colonial casualties are not included. In October, the Germans lost, according to this compilation, a total of 139,675, of whom 34,321 were killed.

Royal Palace Now Hospital.

Geneva, Nov. 10.—The royal palace in Bucharest has been turned into a Red Cross hospital for wounded Rumanian soldiers. The Rumanian queen has been acting as a nurse.

\$500,000 A DAY CONTRIBUTED.

Canadians Donate This Sum to War Fund.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 10.—Official figures made public today show that Canada during the seven months ending October 31 spent approximately \$127,000,000 for war purposes. This is an average of more than \$500,000 a day.

A large increase in revenue is shown by the statement. In the same seven months the revenues totaled \$121,748,000, compared with \$87,684,000 for the same period a year ago.

JOBS MENACED

1,500 Capitol Employees May Lose Positions.

With the control of the House of Representatives in the Sixty-fifth Congress yet in the balance, Capitol employees are interested in the Congressional results, for a change in the majority party means that 1,500 employees will be dropped from Uncle Sam's payroll on March 4.

Latest returns give the Democrats 215 seats. The Republicans have elected 215 members. One Independent, one Progressive, one Socialist and one Progressive-Unionist are also among the winners.

Five districts are still in doubt, four of these being in West Virginia and one in New Mexico.

The winners in many districts have edged out by such a slender margin that it is certain a number of seats will be contested. These contests will be decided by the House committees on elections, and the political color of these committees is determined by the House control.

With all other things equal, the committee decide for the member of the majority party, and the Democrats, with a slight lead, have an opportunity to increase it by deciding in contested areas.

Among the plums which will go to Republicans with an overturn is the sergeant-at-arms position, now held by Robert B. Gordon; clerk to the House of Representatives, South Trimble, incumbent; doorkeeper, postoffice positions, clerks to committees, Capitol police officers, stenographers, reading clerks in the House, doorkeepers, elevator operators, messengers, pages in the House, superintendent of the Capitol, custodian of the House Office Building, and the operating force, telephone operators and clerks.

These positions pay from \$750 a

CONTINUED ON PAGE TWO.

PARTIES MAY ESPOUSE PROHIBITION CAUSE

"Dry" Leaders Predict Planks Will Be Adopted in Near Future.

(By the International News Service.)
New York, Nov. 10.—With twenty-four States in the "dry" column, anti-alcohol propagandists today predicted that the state of the movement would lead either the Republicans or Democrats to adopt a prohibition plank in their platform.

The victories of the prohibitionists in Michigan, Nebraska, Montana, and South Dakota on Tuesday is attributed largely to the good campaign work of the women.

"We carried every State where we expected to win," said Edward A. Packer, New York County chairman of the national prohibition party. "We did not expect to win in Missouri. When the full returns are available it is certain that they will show an enormous gain. Prohibitionists are not wedded to the prohibition party, and they would like to see the movement adopted by one of the two dominant parties. I would vote either the Republican or Democratic ticket if it carried a prohibition plank and I believe all other prohibitionists would do the same."

AUTO RACER KILLED.

Los Angeles, Nov. 10.—C. F. Schwartz, mechanic for H. J. Horstman, auto race driver, was killed and Horstman was seriously hurt today when Horstman's Mercer No. 5 overturned on "Death Curve" at Santa Monica during practice races for the Vanderbilt Cup and Grand Prix.

Horstman, who was thrown clear of the wreckage, is expected to recover. The machine is the same car in which Spencer Wishart was killed at Milwaukee.

41 CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 10.—Forty-one members of the I. W. W. invading party which killed two citizens of Everett, were formally charged with murder today. Information against the men were filed direct at Everett.

MRS. BOISSEVAIN HAS RELAPSE.

Los Angeles, Nov. 10.—Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain, famous suffragist, suffered a relapse today and she is again in a critical condition.

Mrs. Boissevain is suffering from placental anaemia.

PLAN BIG "DRIVE" ON 8-HOUR LAW

Concerted Action by All Rail-
roads Being Prepared.

(By the International News Service.)
New York, Nov. 10.—Practically every railroad in the country is preparing to test the constitutionality of the Adamson eight-hour law in the courts. Four Western railroads already have filed bills in injunction suits and a number of Eastern roads are preparing papers in similar suits.

In addition to this, the presidents of a large number of railroads have been holding conferences in this city since Thursday to determine the best method of attacking it. This conference as yet has reached no decision.

The action of the Western railroads in bringing injunction suits was discussed in detail, especially on the advantages of following suit and bringing the law to a test before it goes into effect on January 1.

The conference also discussed the advisability of presenting the railroad side of the question to the commission headed by Gen. Goethals, which was appointed by the law with the duty of observing it in practice and reporting the facts to Congress.

At the conclusion of today's session none of the conferees would discuss the meeting. One of the railroad presidents who was present stated it had not yet reached a point where any public statement would be made. The conference will be continued until some decision as to the best action to be taken has been determined.

Nearly all the railroads terminating in this city are preparing bills in anticipation of filing suits against the law.

WESTERN ROADS LAUNCH ATTACK ON RAIL LAW

One Asks Injunction to Restrain Its Enforcement.

(By the International News Service.)
Chicago, Nov. 10.—What is believed to be the general attack upon the Adamson eight-hour law has been begun by two railroads in the United States District Court here. The advance skirmish was opened by the Chicago Great Western Railroad's petition today for a permanent injunction to restrain enforcement of the law.

Other suits, designed to test the constitutionality of the act were filed in the West by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe and the Union Pacific Railroads. Joseph M. Dickinson, receiver for the Rock Island, followed in Chicago by asking instructions from Judge Carpenter as to how the road is to interpret the law and whether it is to obey it or fight its constitutional challenge.

The Santa Fe's bill was filed in the United States District Court in Kansas City asking for a temporary injunction. The bill declares the law is "unworkable," and will create conditions that cannot be met by the road except at great costs and reconstruction of terminals.

BOY SWALLOWS BUTTON.

Minneapolis, Nov. 10.—Roger Holt, the 7-year-old son of Deputy Sheriff Samuel H. Holt, of 422 Twelfth avenue, got so interested in the mayoralty campaign that he swallowed a Langum button.

Roger's father the other day took the youngster to Dr. R. A. Campbell, of 615 Donaldson Building, to have him X-rayed.

Dr. Campbell took two pictures, but failed to find the button. Now the father is thinking of having some more pictures made in the hope of discovering several small articles of family hardware that have disappeared lately.

"VOTES FOR SOLDIERS" CRY NOW

London, Nov. 10.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, famous suffragist leader, has changed her battle cry of "Votes for Women" to "Votes for Soldiers."

She is giving active support to the movement to have parliament pass a law enabling soldiers and sailors on duty away from home to vote in any parliamentary election that may be held before the war ends. Mrs. Pankhurst is making many speeches in support of the movement.

PUTS POISON PILL IN COFFEE.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—"I must have been crazy to do such a thing," said Mrs. Helen Cover, 32 years old, of 122 Lafayette street, Baltimore, today, following her attempt last night at suicide, when she placed a poison tablet in coffee.

The woman refused to confirm her name. Physicians say it will require seven days to determine the chances for recovery.

Dog, Friend of Wilson, Falls Victim to Auto

International News Service.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 10.—"Pat," the only dog in the world with a university diploma, and a canine patted on the head many times by President Wilson, is dead.

"Pat," a bull terrier, 12 years old, and the victor of many fights, was killed today by an automobile. He was owned by Dr. John H. Fager, of this city, and when he went to Princeton he took the dog along with him for a four-year stay. Fager got his diploma in 1907 and on commencement day "Pat" also was given his.

DEMOCRATS MAY DANCE IN HUGHES HOME HERE

Mansion Leased to Swiss Resident,
Says Unconfirmed Rumor.

That Charles Evans Hughes will leave Washington and resume the practice of law in New York and that the Hughes mansion at Sixteenth and V streets north-west, will soon be the center of gay social activities in which prominent Democrats will figure, was one of the details of a rumor circulated last night that the defeated Republican candidate had leased his Capital home for a term of years.

Louis Lombard, a wealthy resident of Switzerland, who has wintered for a number of years in Washington, is the name of the new occupant of the Hughes home. The reports state that the negotiations were completed in New York yesterday.

Lombard is well known in Washington, where his family have entertained extensively. The family have made their home here at the Shoreham.

Secretary of State Lansing is among the intimate friends of the Lombard family, and they are well known in social circles. The Lombard occupancy will be followed by a series of social events that will be among the most brilliant of the winter season, according to the story.

Lombard was at the Hotel Walford in New York City last night with his family, but he had left word that under no circumstances was he to be disturbed, and verification from that source was not possible.

The Lombard family arrived in the United States about two months ago, when the possibility of a railroad strike seemed imminent. Rather than risk the possibility of being held up on their journey between San Francisco and New York, a fleet of automobiles was engaged, and family, servants and baggage made the overland journey by auto.

CAPITAL FETE FOR WILSON POSTPONED

Jollification Plans Disturbed by Shifting
of Date of President's Return.

Indecision of President Wilson as to when he will return to Washington has caused a postponement of the jollification parade of Democrats, planned for Monday evening, until later in the week, probably Thursday.

A step was taken at a meeting of the executive committee of the Wilson and Marshall Democratic Association last night, when word was communicated from Secretary Tumulty that a shift in the President's plans would delay his arrival in Washington.

Elaborate arrangements for the reception of the President were unfolded at this meeting and committees appointed to attend to details. Charles W. Darr, president of the association, said he expected between 30,000 and 50,000 Democrats and friends of Wilson would be in the line of March.

It will extend along Pennsylvania avenue from First street, or the Union Station, to the White House, where it is planned to have President Wilson review the marchers.

Seven hundred women from various political and social organizations will march in the parade.

A request was read from 2,000 navy yard employees for permission to participate, and representatives of all Democratic organizations in the District reported big representations would turn out.

Robert N. Harper will be grand marshal of the parade and his chief aide will be Melvin C. Hazen.

T. R. SPEECHLESS FOR ONCE.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt's sole comment today on the re-election of President Wilson was:

"Excuse me, I have nothing to say."

NINETEEN VOTES STILL IN DOUBT

New Hampshire, Minnesota and
New Mexico in Balance.

New York, Nov. 10.—Three States, scattered over almost the entire width of the country, tonight still made impossible exact computation of the plurality in the Electoral College by which President Wilson was elected. They were New Hampshire with four electoral votes, Minnesota with twelve, and New Mexico with three.

New Hampshire and Minnesota, from the trend of the late returns, appeared safe for Wilson. Added to the 272 electoral votes already counted in his column, these 16 raise the President's total to 288. New Mexico already has been included in the previous total of 272.

Errors in official certificates of the returns which failed to credit votes cast for Democratic electors held the total in New Hampshire in doubt. But unofficial estimates by Secretary of State Bean gave the lead in the State to Wilson by the narrow margin of 70. With five districts missing the vote stood Hughes, 43,422, against the President's 43,008. This gave the Republican candidate a lead of 324, but Democratic electoral votes not reported and gains in other precincts served to overcome this lead.

In Minnesota the Hughes lead of 502 was being cut down. In the last eight precincts counted the Republican candidate had lost 523. The Democratic State Committee was confident that the "absentee vote"—traveling and railroad men, who vote by mail—and the border troops would bring this out and give Wilson a safe margin.

New Mexico has sixty-seven missing districts, with a vote of 3,000, to be heard from. With those missing the President's plurality was 2,219.

70 AIRPLANES BATTLE ABOVE SOMME FRONT

Nearly Fifty Aeros Shot to Earth
During Day.

(By the International News Service.)
London, Nov. 10.—The last twenty-four hours have seen the greatest series of air battles since the beginning of the war.

In one of these battles sixty and seventy airplanes—thirty British and the rest German—fought a tremendous engagement high above the Somme battle front.

No less than thirty-three machines, French, British and German, were shot to earth in the course of the day. This number may be greatly increased in fact may reach the great total of forty-nine.

Gen. Haig reports the destruction of fifteen German aeroplanes, nine of which are known to have been driven to the ground. He also reports the capture of the tremendous struggle of air arms, as where from sixty to seventy machines clashed.

The French war office reports the destruction of ten German machines. Berthelot, on the other hand, announces that seventeen allied aeroplanes were shot to the ground, while the British reports admit seven are missing.

"DRY" SERMON IN TABLOID.

"I'm Drunk, It Cost Me My Job."

(By the International News Service.)
Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 10.—Mockery was turned to silence and jeers to thought during a prohibition street meeting when a young man staggered through the crowd and delivered a twelve-word sermon.

"I'm drunk," he said, "it cost me a \$50 a week job today."

As he turned to leave, one of the speakers stopped him and asked who he was. The card he presented bore the name of a big business house.

"It was his third and last chance," said the manager when interviewed. "He had his choice, and he chose drink."

PRIZE 'MUMS' FOR WILSON.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—A dozen chrysanthemums—every one a blue ribbon winner—went by express to President Wilson this afternoon with the congratulations of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, which closes the eighty-eighth annual show in Horticultural Hall tonight.

On the eve of election, the committee announced that the winning candidate would receive a floral tribute, but when the election mix-up followed the plan hung in midair while the members tried to decide where the bouquet should go.

Mr. Wilson will find his chrysanthemum in Shadow Lawn when he returns from New York.

LINER CARRIES DEFENSE GUN.

New York, Nov. 10.—The White Star liner Adriatic arrived today from Liverpool with a newly invented and powerful six-inch gun mounted on her deck. She is the first ship flying the British flag to dock here with a gun mounted for protection against submarine attacks since the early part of the war.

"LADY ROSE'S DAUGHTER" HERE

Mrs. Humphrey Ward, the author of "Robert Elsmere," "Eleanor," etc., has no better book to her credit than "Lady Rose's Daughter."

By special arrangement with the publishers, The Washington HERALD is able to offer this book to its classified advertisers who place a classified ad amounting to not less than forty cents in this paper during the current week.

This book is an exact duplicate in everything but cover of the bound volumes that sold for \$1.25 to \$1.50. Each volume is illustrated with eight artistic illustrations of the highest type, and bound in an exceptionally attractive plate paper cover, elaborately decorated.

HERALD Want Ads are the quickest, surest means of acquainting the public with what you want and what you have to offer—and there is a classification for every requirement. These books may be seen and secured at the main office of The Washington HERALD at the time of placing your classified advertising.

Quickest Service to Baltimore. Every Hour, Baltimore and Ohio \$1.75 round trip, Saturdays and Sundays, \$1.50—Adv.

AIRCRAFT RAID COAST.

British Aeros Attack German Naval Bases.

London, Nov. 10.—British airplanes this morning carried out successful air raids on the German naval bases on the Belgian coast. The following official statement was issued tonight:

"Early this morning a squadron of naval aeroplanes attacked the harbor and submarine shelters at Ostend and Zeebrugge.

A great weight of bombs was dropped with satisfactory results."

'I ENJOYED FIGHT'

Wilson Breaks Silence to Make
First Comment on Election.

(By the International News Service.)
Williamstown, Mass., Nov. 10.—President Wilson broke the silence he has maintained since the election in replying to a boisterous greeting of welcome from the students of Williams College here this evening to say that he had enjoyed the political fight just ended.

"Politics is the only means we have of expressing opinions we believe to be of advantage to the country," he said. "I enjoyed this fight, but after all a man who is not willing to fight for the things he believes in is without the red blooded qualities necessary to accomplish results."

"I came here to forget the field of politics for a day or so and it is very gracious and delightful to be received in this manner."

President Harry A. Garfield, of Williams College, in a brief address of welcome told Mr. Wilson his campaign utterances had been filled with wisdom. The impromptu ceremonies took place on the lawn in front of the home of Francis B. Sayre.

A second demonstration, more political in character, followed later in the evening. Delegations headed by several bands of music came from Adams, North Adams, Bennington and other surrounding points until the college campus was crowded.

President Wilson came here to attend the christening of his third grandchild, baby Eleanor Axson Sayre, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre. The ceremony took place at St. John's Episcopal Church during the afternoon. Only members of the family and a few intimate friends were admitted to the church.

The Presidential party will leave here for Washington tomorrow afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

NEW CABINET DEBATED BY POLITICAL SEERS

Several Changes Among Secretaries
Held Likely.

New that Mr. Wilson has been re-elected the politicians are beginning to construct a new Cabinet for the President. There seems to be a general opinion that several of the resignations that will be formally tendered after March 4 will be accepted. Among those whom political seers generally expect to resign are McAdoo, Daniels, Redfield, Baker, Postmaster General Burleson and Attorney General Gregory.

It was said last night that Mr. McAdoo feels he is not doing justice to his family financially by remaining in the cabinet. However, it is not believed by his friends that he will be willingly relinquish the high post he holds.

The criticism against the conduct of the Department of commerce by Mr. Redfield is responsible for the rumor in that cabinet circle. Mr. Redfield, as the political lieutenants say, has made a number of enemies within his own party, but his personal relations with the President are such as to justify the conclusion that his departure would be purely voluntary.

It seems to be conceded that Secretary of the Navy Daniels will retire gracefully after four years of service.

First Secretary Baker is expected to resign the postmaster generalship, although he has denied the rumor that he would return to Ohio at the end of the present administration.

Carter Glass, Ambassador Walter Hines Page, Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt, and Senator Kern are mentioned as Cabinet possibilities.

BANKS RUN LOTTERY.

New York, Nov. 10.—Persons in New York City are spending \$500,000 a month for chutes in a Greek lottery, according to evidence gathered by Thomas E. Rush, surveyor of the port.

Following the arrest in Hoboken of two sailors from the Oscar II, it was learned that the lottery business was being transacted through the bank in the city. The largest operator is said to be a woman.

On the persons of the two seamen were found bundles of lottery tickets. The men, who gave their names as Gustav Johannsen and Johann Isen, were trying to slip ashore.

NEW WARSHIP PUTS TO SEA.

New York, Nov. 10.—With cheering bluejackets thronging her decks, the super-Dreadnought Arizona, Uncle Sam's newest and most powerful fighting craft, was warped out of her pier in the Brooklyn Navy Yard by seven tugs today for her first trip to sea since she was put in commission on October 17.

SEES WAR'S CLIMAX NEAR.

London, Nov. 10.—Field Marshal Viscount French, commander in chief of the British home forces, believes that the war is approaching a climax. It will be reached either in the winter or next spring. This opinion was expressed in a speech which the famous officer made last night and was prominently displayed by all the newspapers today.

SAFE CRACKING AS FINE ART.

New York, Nov. 10.—Safe-cracking has been developed to a fine art in Brooklyn. Working in a brilliantly lighted room, in plain view of policemen on duty outside, robbers entered the showroom of the Edison Company in Williamsburg early today, took possession of the 60-pound safe, rolled it into the back yard and jimmied it open.

Baltimore and Ohio—Pimlico Races. Trains Every Hour on the Hour to Camden Station. Street cars direct to track. \$1.75 round trip, Saturdays, \$1.50—Adv.

PROTEST PLANS OF REPUBLICANS TO BE DROPPED

Recounts Will Not Be Demanded Unless Fraud Charges Crop Up.

Willcox Not Conceding
Hitchcock and Perkins Urge Graceful
Acceptance of Defeat Upon
Chairmen.

(By the International News Service.)
New York, Nov. 10.—The Hughes campaign managers today abandoned their plans to contest the election of President Wilson. They announced that no steps will be taken to secure a recount in close States unless the official canvass of the vote discloses glaring frauds.

"We have no evidence of any such frauds," added Chairman Willcox in making this announcement.

The work of dismantling the extensive Fifth avenue headquarters of the Republican national committee was begun and the campaign headquarters will be closed tomorrow.

The only thing looking to make the election of 1916 a closed incident of American history is the customary congratulatory telegrams from the loser to the winner. It is the present intention of Mr. Hughes to send no such message until the result of the official canvass of the vote is known.

Leaders Accept Defeat.
Frank H. Hitchcock and George W. Perkins today urged that the defeat be accepted gracefully and the usual congratulatory messages be sent Chairman Willcox vetoed this suggestion, and let it be known that Mr. Hughes was in the hands of his campaign managers.

Chairman Willcox was the only Republican of prominence at national headquarters who refused to concede the election of President Wilson. He gave out the following statement:

"The result of the election is the vote of a few close States. It must be borne in mind that the returns thus far announced are in most States unofficial and may be changed by the official count required by laws of those States. Officers during the unofficial computation yesterday in California mistakes in addition were announced from that State substantially changing figures previously given out. It is common experience that the result of the official count always varies from the returns first announced."

"Where the vote is as close as that reported in several States it may well be that material changes will result from the official count. We owe it to the country to take all necessary steps to see that an exact and honest count of the vote is made. When the current seemed to be running against Mr. Wilson on Wednesday the Democratic managers announced their intention to demand a recount in every close State."

Willcox Explains Words.
"All we desire is to make sure that the vote be counted as cast."

Chairman Willcox was careful to explain that by an "exact and honest count" he did not mean that a recount would be demanded in every close State.